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Pursuant to the duty of disclosure as set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.56, §1.97 and §1.98, Applicants hereby disclose publications known to them which may be material to the patentability of this invention. Reference 1A listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 is enclosed; a copy of reference 1B is not enclosed as it was previously submitted to the Examiner in the present application. Kindly acknowledge receipt of this Statement and make the cited references of record in the subject application.

Reference 1B (WO 01/66736 A1) is in the Japanese language and is submitted because it discloses murine nectin-3 polypeptides; it was also cited in the International Search Report for the corresponding International Application PCT/US01/31392.

The above-cited reference is submitted under §1.97(c) and accompanied by the fee of \$180 as set forth in §1.17(p). The Assistant Commissioner is authorized to charge the \$180 fee and any other fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 09-0089. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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